

PROJECT REVIEW SHEET - EZ1

HISTORIC & CULTURAL RESOURCES REVIEW

Property / Client Name:	White River Knotweed Eradication I, 11-1500
Worksite Name/Number:	King County (Worksite 1 of 2)
Funding Agency:	Rec. and Conserv. Office

Project Applicant	Pierce Co Conservation Dist
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Funding Agency:

Organization	Rec. and Conserv. Office
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PLEASE DESCRIBE THE TYPE OF WORK TO BE COMPLETED

(Be as detailed as possible to avoid having to provide additional information)

Provide a detailed description of the proposed project:

The purpose of this project is to field identify and inventory infestations of Japanese Knotweed in the White River Basin, and begin eradication efforts. The project is noted as "Phase I" since it is likely to take several years to bring Knotweed under control. This project will be extensive but is low in complexity and has a very high likelihood of successful restoration of riparian habitat. This project fits well within regional recovery plans and the Lead Entity's strategy, by restoring and protecting riparian habitat in a significant salmon production area of the Puyallup River system. The lower White River and major tributaries are listed as "High Priority" for restoration of habitat function to benefit salmon. The Salmon Habitat Protection and Restoration Strategy for WRIAs 10 and 12 lists the salmon benefited by such restoration efforts as "all freshwater life-stages of all major salmonid species, including federally listed species of bull trout and steelhead."

Describe existing project site conditions.

The project site ranges from fully urbanized to fully rural, with some areas having healthy riparian forest. Other areas are already impacted by the presence of large established or emergent knotweed stands and need treatment immediately. Riparian areas in the project site are often disturbed by human habitation, allowing Knotweed to colonize rapidly and overtake native plant volunteer recruitment. This has led to less than optimal riparian forest health in the White River Basin.

Describe any proposed ground disturbing activities. That is, will a tool(s) be used to move earth (soil, rock, gra

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None.

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USGS quad map and outline the project impact area.
(USGS Quad maps are available on-line at <http://www.topozone.com>)

Worksite Location (identified with star):

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Range: 06E

Section: 01

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